TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



HB 1726 - SB 1423

March 27, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the State Fire Marshal to exempt from any local jurisdiction's mandatory fire sprinkler requirements any building other than one- or two-family dwellings when the building is only one story, has a minimum of three exits, has an area less than 15,000 square feet, and has a fire alarm system or smoke detectors with visible warning.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the County Technical Assistance Service (CTAS), exempting certain facilities from sprinkler requirements will have an impact upon local government that is not significant.
- This bill will not create any additional responsibilities for the Department of Commerce and Insurance. Therefore, the fiscal impact to state government is not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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